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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Paolo DARIO et al.
Serial No. : 10/581,660
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For : ENDOSCOPIC SURGERY DEVICE
Group Art Unit : 3734
Examiner : Jennifer Lea Hornberger
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PETITION FOR ONE MONTH EXTENSION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(A)

Commissioner for Patents
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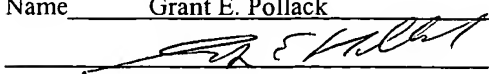
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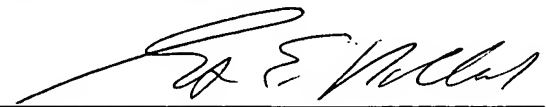
Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for filing a response to the Final Office Action dated November 12, 2008 for one (1) month from February 12, 2009 to March 12, 2009. A Credit Card Payment Form for filing this Petition is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: March 12, 2009

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